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#### IN AMOUNT OF EADS LOCAL PAPERS READING

#### Ten Thousand Insurgents Attack Victoria Makes No Reference to the Venezuelan Dispute.

IT INDICATES NO POLICY

Salisbury and Balfour Are Thought to Have Agreed on Some Statement to Be Made to Parliament in the Venezuelan Affair-Queen Mentions Several Bills to Be Presented.

London, Feb. 10 .- The speech from the throne, which will be read at the opening of Parliament tomorrow, was read at the queen's speech banquet, given by Lord Salisbury and the Right Hon. A. J. Balfour, first lord of the treasury, respectively, at No. 20 Arlington street and No. 10 Downing street, this evening.

The speech makes no reference whatever to the subject of arbitration of the Vene-

zuelan dispute.
It sets forth that the relations of Great Britain with foreign powers are satisfactory; recapitalists the known facts of the Transvani troubles; alluded to the necessity for an increase of the navat strength of England and refers to the dispute between Great Britain and Venezuela and the negotiations with the United States in regard thereto, as pending in exactly the same terms vaguely outlined in Saturday's United Press es, which stated that the govern ment of Great Britain had under consideration proposals that offer a prospect of z more peaceful solution of the dispute.

ARMENIAN MASSACRES. The speech also recites the facts of the

While it deployes the excesses which have been committed, it says that some degree of satisfaction is to be found in the sultan's promises to institute reforms, but avoids any indication of the future policy of England in regard to Turkey.

Her majesty congratulates the country

upon the success of the bloodless operations of the British expedition in Ashantee and deplores the death of Prince Henry of Bat-tenberg who was a member of the expedi-

to be introduced by the government will include an employes' limited liability bill; a measure for the creation of voluntary schools, an Irish land bill; a bill for the formation of an Irish board of agriculture for the relief of agricultural distress; a of welf-is hall for the regulation of alien pauper inmigration; and a measure for the construc-tion of light railways for the rural districts.

STATEMENT ON VENEZUELA. No importance is attached to the absenof any reference to arbitration of the Venemician dispute. No experienced politicians expected that any reference would be made the subject for the reason that the speech is never the medium of merely in-

The representative of the United Press learns that Prime Minister Salisbary and the Right Hon. A. J. Balfour, first lord of reasory, have prepared a carefully guarded statement which they will make the House of Lords and House of Com mous carry in the debate on the address in reply to the queen's speech, affirming the willingness of the government to arbitrate the question of the territory that is not

Opinion in the National Liberal Club ws every day in favor of a settlemen of the dispute on any terms consonant with

As the declarations of the ministers are not likely to be satisfactory to the Liberals, it is believed that Sir William Vernon Harcourt, their leader in the House of Commons. will move all amendments to the address affirming that arbitration of the boundary sestion ought to be accepted by Great Britain.

## CORSET SAVED HER LIFE.

#### Suicide of Mrs Greaves Prevented by Her Wearing Apparel. Chester, Pa., Feb. 10,-The corset that she

ore saved the life of Mrs. James Greaves when she attempted to shoot herself on Fourth street, at 8 o'clock tonight,

Mrs. Greaves went to her bushand's place of business with a leaded revolver in her hand and upbraided him for his devotion to another woman. A policeman passed them, and the huband told him that she was armed. She turned and ran, and when followed by the officer, pointed the pistol at him and then turned the weapon upon

She was taken to the hospital, supposed to have been fatally wounded, but an exsurjuntion showed that the bullet had per trated her clothing struck her corset and gliddeed harmlessly away. She was after ward placed under arrest.

## Will Pump Out Her Cargo.

Newcastle, Del., Feb. 10,-The British tank steamer Aureole which went ashore early yesterday morning on Bulkhead Shoal in Delaware Bay still remainds aground. It will be necessary to pump from 1,200 to 1,500 tons of oil from her tanks into lighters before the steamer can be removed. Aureole's cargo comists of 1,622,634 galfor Romen, France.

## Pleaded Guilty of Murder.

Scranton, Pa., Peb. 10. Leonardo Rosa, who was convicted last September of murder in the first degree for the killing of Vito Lususso, a fellow Itulian, at Dunn who was granted a new trial by Judge Edwards, pleaded guilty today when called for retrial. Judge Edwards fixed the crime as second degree murder and Rosa was remanded until Saturday for sentence.

## Chief Clerk Skips Out.

Providence, R. I., Feb. 10.-Charles H. Bonsy, chief clerk and bookkeeper in the pany in this cits, has been missing since last Tuesday night and there is no clue to the chancery court. Baltimore parties, represented by Richard M. more parties, represented by Richard M. there is a shortlige in the missing man's

## New Southern Directors.

New York. Feb. 10 .- Gen. Samuel Thomas and Thomas F. Ryan, of New York, have resigned as directors of the Southern Railway, and Samuel M. Inman, of Atlanta, Ga., and George W. Maslin, of New York, bave been selected to succeed them. Mr. Maslin will only act as director temporarily.

Four Towns In Formosa

Governor of Formosa Is III and Has Been Replaced-Drenganis Are Killing Chinamen at Sight.

(By Cable to The Times.) Copyright by James Gordon Bennett.)

St. Petersburg, Feb. 10.-A special dispatch to the Novoe Vremya from Vladi-vostock, says that the fighting in Formosa has been renewed. The insurgents, to the number of 10,000 have attacked the towns of Tamsui. Jiram

Sunko, Kozakua and Taipe. They are de stroying the railroads and cutting the tele The Japanese brigadier arrived at Keheng

February 7. The insurgents are fighting desperately and have inflicted defeats on detached bodies of Japanese troops. The Marine Minister Haigo has taken the place of the governor of Formosa, who is fil. From Turkestan comes news that the covernor of the disturbed district of Kansu

as been deposed by the emperor of China. and replaced by the governor of Tas. Interest is displayed as to whether the where the Drenganis are killing all Chinese on sight, and are making active compaign around the town of Umruchi.

#### WHEELMEN'S ROYAL FEAST.

Notable Guests at the L. A. W. Ban quet at Baltimore.

Baltimore, Md., Feb. 10 .- The first ann "good roads" banquet which was held to night at the handsome Mt. Royal Terrace Home of the Maryland Cycle Club, was an elaborate affair.

The commodious banqueting hall was

prettily decorated with potted plants and flowers, interspersed with the colors of the lub. A full stringed orchestra, concealed by waving palms and exotics, furnished Nearly three hundred enthusiastic wheel-

en and good roads apostles sat at the tables. At the conclusion of the twentythree-course repast, President Archie Will-iumson greeted the guests. He was followed by Mayor Alcaeus Hooper,

who responded to the toast, "My Cycling Constituents," and Hon. John K. Cowen, president of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad ompany, who delivered an eloquent ad-ress on "Wheels." Imprompta addresses on good roads were delivered by a number well-known advocates of improved

The racing board assembled at a late hour tonight to further investigate the Murphy-Titus-Cabanne suspession case. Titus came over from New York and will probably be given a hearing by the board. At midnight the board was securely locked up in a room at the Hotel Rennert while Murphy and Titus were patiently awaiting the result of their deliberations in the lobby of the hostelry.

## NEWFOUNDLAND ICE-BOUND.

Scores of Craft Are Waiting to Gain Approach to the Island

St. Johns, N. F., Feb. 10. The whol aded with ice from Cape Bonavista to Cape Race. St. Johns harbor had been cut off for ten days from the outside world.

waiting a chance to enter. The stenmer Por lia from New York is lying at Trepussaey being unable to force her way through the The steamer Ulunda from London had to go to Placentia to take her passengers and freight, sent there by rall. The steamer Barcelona from Liverpool, off Cape Race reports meeting heavy Arctic ice 256 mile

All the sealing fleet cannot get out to reach the northern barbors, whence they sail. The fishery blockade is proving most lishstrous to business

## MISS RIGGS HAPPILY MARRIES.

Deaf Mute Who Was Obliged to Give Testimony in Staunton Inquiry. (Special to The Times.)

Richmond, Feb. 10.-Miss Annie L. Riggs he deaf mute of Accomac county, Whos estimony as to her relations with Prof. Yates before the investigating committee created such a sensation, was yesterday sarried to beraffianced, Richard P. Taylor,

by Rev. J. R. Sturgess in that county. committee was severely criticised for forcing the young woman to make publi he details of her compromising relations with Yates to what seemed the sacrific thers, are much gratified at the happy mation of their plans.

Death of an Eminent Physician. Cincinnati, Feb. 10,-Dr. Cornelius George comegys, a prominent physician of this city, died at 1 o'clock this morning at his ome, No. 298 West Seventh street, aged eighty years. His father was Governor of Delaware and his brother a United States Senator. He was a leading member of all the prominent medical organizations of America.

#### Three Men Were Drowned. Winston, N. C., Feb. 10.- Zib McCollen

er's son were drowned Saturday night while attempting to cross Dan River, which was hadly swollen, four miles from Stone ville, N. C. Their bodies were found and taken out of the river yesterday.

#### Jackson, Miss., Feb. 10.-In the senate to day Mr. Rainwater's motion to postpone action till Jely 4 on the house concurrent resolution, memorializing Congress and the President to grant belligerent rights

Postponed Cuban Action

o Cuba was overwhelmingly adopted. Montgomery Water Works Sold. Montgomery. Ala., Feb. 10 .- A special to

# ost \$200,000 and were bonded for \$125,

Two School Girls Drowned. Middletown, N. Y., Feb. 10.-While Maggie Collard and Mabel Winters, each about thirteen years of age, were returning from school this afternoon at Winterton they attempted to cross the overflow of a pond, caused by the recent floods in thi vicinity, and were drowned.

Spain Is Fortifying the City for Any Emergency.

FEARS THE UNITED STATES

The Time Before the Approaching Rainy Season Is Thought to Be Gen Weyler's Great Opportunity to Win Distinction-His Policy In the Isl and Awaited with Interest.

(Special Correspondence of the United

Press.) Havana, Feb. 8, via Tampa, Fia., Feb. 10.—Gen. Weyler has an opportunity to achieve world-wide fame. He succeeded Spain's greatest general, and has a much more difficult task that the latter faced when he arrived from Spain last April.

The insurrection has spread until the whol of Cuba is involved, and instead of disor-ganized bands in the mountains, he has a fairly well organized army operating in the open against the soldiers of Spain. He has many capable generals to carry out is orders, and an army of regulars and

colunteers numbering 200,000 men. Forty six men-of-war and gunboats patrol the coasts and guard the barbors. Small forts nd block houses have been built at all important towns on lines of railroad, and barricades have been erected at hundreds of other places. A trocha, or strong line, has been estab

shed across the Island from Havana to Batabano.

#### TRAINS ARE ARMORED.

Railroad cars for the movement of troops have been armelad, and the Spanish army now has methods of moving bodies of men, concentrating strong forces and pashing war against the enemy which were tacking in the beginning.

It required time to make these preparaand without them effective work could not be done against the rebeis. Now that the strength of the enemy and his clusive ways are appreciated by the Spanish and his general plan of operations understood, Gen. Weyler need not fight in the dark, as Campos did for a time, but may be expected to dispose his superior forces in a way that will crush the enemy and put an end to the army of libera-

These are the possibilities. The short time that remains before the rainy season sets in may prove a handicup, and the mysterious way in which the enemy grows stronger after every defeat may make the task of putting him down a difficulty.

However, all loyal Spaniards look to Sen. Weyler for great things and predict their accomplishment. Americans and others here, who desire peace before calamity engals all busifiess, bope that Weyler will follow the methods of medern warfare, treat prisoners properly, prevent wholesaie arrests of suspected citizens, and give the enemy a chance to care for

## FIGHT IN THE FIELD.

They hope to see the war fought in the field and in towns whose citizens have not risen, and hope that Spain will fight armed men only, and that those who sympathize with their race, but remain quiet, will

not be declared traitors and spics. of be declared traitors and spics.

President occupy the chair, and because Spain is fortifying Havana for any Mr. Cleveland and his father and brother nergency that may arise. Recently four coast defense gons of about sixty tons each | ested in the missionary work arrived from Spain. They are now being moved along temporary tracks to the Santa Clara battery, the most modern of Havana's

fortifications. This battery is built in a rocky hill be tween the city and the sea. It is about one mile west of Moro Castle. It com mands the approach of vessels from the orth and west, while a battery beyond Moro does similar service toward the cast. Neither of these batteries commands the land approach, or can even point a gun toward the city itself. Of all of Havana's forts, these are the only ones containing

nodern guns. Spain is preparing for others than the in-When the news of the actio f the Committee on Foreign Affairs of the United States Senate reached here, one of the most prominent political leaders here said to me

We are preparing for any emergency Tell that to the people of the United States. Go down to La Machina yourself and tell them what guns we are unloading, and place

## BANK WILL ISSUE PAPER.

Currency to Amount of \$24,000,000 for Spanish War. (By Cable to The Times.)

(Copyright by James Gordon Bennett.) Havana, Cuba, Feb. 10.—According to Madrid advices received today, the S ish Bank of Cuba will shortly issue \$ 000,000 in paper currency for local cir

The same dispatch says that Capt. Gen Weyler will invite the principal capitalists in the island to reinforce the metallic de posits of the institution to enable the reorganization to be made upon a more stable

Settling Stanwix Bank Affairs. Rome, N. Y., Feb. 10.-H. S. Bedell of Rome, has gone to Baltimore to act with the receiver of the Jones' Packing Company, representing the interests of the Fort Stan wix National Bank of Rome. J. Winslow Jones of Baltimore, was in Rome yesterday and was closeted most of the time with bank examiners. Both he and the examin

Death of a Catholic Priest New York, Feb. 10. - Father Michael Cal aghan, director of the Mission of Our Lady of the Rosary, for the protection of immi grant girls, died this morning at the home No. 7 State street. He had been sick since Christmas. He was fifty-four years old,

## Struck by Heavy Gales

Philadelphia, Feb. 10.-Bark J. H. Dexter, (British) from Pernambuco via Hampton Roads, reports that during the passage encountered a northeast gale, during which she carried away lower topsail and oretopmast-stay sail.

British Minister to Argentine London, Feb. 10.- The Hon, W. A. Par ington, secretary of the British embassy at Vienna, has been appointed British min-ister to the Argentine Republic, in succession to the Bon. Francis J. Pakenham. who has been transferred to Stockboim.

# SPEECH FROM THE THRONE CHINESE AND JAPS AT WAR HEAVY GUNS FOR CUBA HUNTER LACKED ONE VOTE ORGIES IN THE ASYLUM TRAIN WENT DOWN A BANK TRIES TO SHIELD JACKSON

This Week May Settle the Kentucky Senatorial Deadlock.

Rumored That Gov. Bradley Will Call the Legislature to Meet in Louisville Under Police Protection.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 16 -There were 102 day and Hunter once more came within one

tote of an election.

This happened as the result of a pair between Senator Ogilvie, Dem., and Representative Poor, Pop., who were absent. The vote stood: Hunter, 51; Blackburn, 46; scattering, 5. Necessary to a choice, 52. This is expected to be the most interesting week of the session, and it is claimed will see the end of the prolonged deadlock. The contest cases will be taken up tomorrow in case of the return of Lieut. Gov. Worthing-

Several days ago it was given out that the Republican caucus had taken action and agreed to vote for the unsenting of Alexander Tompkins of Owensboro, and seating Charles Werner. The Dunlap-Kaufman case had not then been taken up.

ton, who is presiding officer of the joint

Now it is said that it is not settled that even Tompkins will be unscated and that Huntershas a card up his sleeve by which he hopes to win. It is alleged that the Hunter people are hoping to win through the assistance of Populist Poor in the Senator Ogilvie is unable to be brought to the hall, in which case there would be no necessity of unscating any Democrat.

Republicans discussed a new scheme to day to the effect that Gov. Bradley would issue a proclamation calling the legisla-ture to meet in Louisville in one of the large opera houses there, the session to obtinue until the election of a Senator. There, it was argued, would be ample police protection nor afforded here, and even much stronger than the McCreary guards would be able to render in case they were called into active service. This story was denied by officials.

#### CLEVELAND WILL PRESIDE. His Selection for Presbytery Meet-

ing Warmly Discussed New York, Feb. 10. - The Presbytery of New York met in the bail of Presbyterian board building this afternoon. The ball was well filled with members and others, the special attraction being the under-standing that a report would be presented from the committee appointed to make arrangements for the forthcoming public of the teaches drank as did many of the meeting of church people and citizens in behalf of home missions.

The committee reported that His Excelency Grover Cleveland, President of the United States, had been written to and had intimated his willingness to preside at the Riv. Dr. C. A. Thompson, chairman of the committee, said that in making a

his associates had no political, but merely personal object in view. They had no partisan idea. Democracy or Republicanism were not considered. The selection, he said, was made because it was deemed that it would add greatly to the importance of the meeting to have the

There was a slight opposition by perhaps a half dozen members of the presbytery to having Mr. Cleveland preside, the claim being made that his presence might give a semi-political tone to the freeting and divert attention from the real object of the demon

The chairman retorted that the oblection to Mr. Cleveland was nonsensical and without good reason. A vote was taken and the action of the con-

#### mittee was sustained. WILL OF W. H. ENGLISH.

Makes Large Bequests to Both Public and Private Interests.
Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 10.—The will of the late William H. English was filed to-

He gives \$2,500 to the Indiana Historical ociety; \$10,000 for the completio publication of his history of Indiana; \$5,000 cash and two pieces of real estate to his stenographer, Miss Roth Hedges; \$3,000 to Alice Wick, the orphandaughter of a valued friend; one-half of the residue of his estate amounting to about \$2,000,000 to his son, W. E. English; one ighth to each of his grandchildren, Willoughby George Walling nd William English Walling of Chicago, to be paid to them when they are twenty-one years of age, and the remaining one-quarter of the estate to his daughter, Rosalinda English Walling, mother of the two boys.

Anti-Platt Committee New York, Feb. 10,-The auti-Platt comnittee of twenty-five met tonight at the Windsor Hotel. It will be remembered that the committee of 600 at the meeting in Madison Square concert ball placed in the hands of the committee of twenty-five full power to take whatever steps the latter leemed proper, even to the extent of form ing a new organization.

#### Encampment at Richmond Richmond, Va., Feb. 10 .- At a conference of the council committee and the veterans' committee, held tonight to consider the question of a half to accommodate the grand encampment of United Confederate

Veterans, which meets here in June, it was decided to recommend to the council the enlargement of the music hall at the exposition grounds Wiman Indictment Dismissed. New York, Feb. 10,-The case of Erastus Wiman was brought before Judge McMabon

in the court of general sessions this morning and the motion for dismissal was made which was promptly granted and the in dictment dismissest. Protest Against Marriage Laws. Berlin, Feb. 10. The Prinsian and Ravar ian bishous have presented process to their

respective governments against the mar-

riage regulations as provided in the new civil code, characterizing them as a violathe hands of a receiver by mutual consent tion of the hws of religion Overtaxed with Gold Deposits New York, Feb. 10. The subtreasury has been compelled to some further gold deposits on account of seads, because the rust, has overtained the available elerical force. A large apposit was rejected and was carried a way from the subtrensury.

Tales of Drunkenness Among Teachers and Pupils.

OTHER IMPROPER CONDUCT

On Election Days Liquor Was Dispensed Freely Among the Members of the Deaf Mute Institution-Miss Hogwood Made Statements of Bad Conduct on the Part of a Teacher.

Richmond, Va., Feb. 10,-At the morning ion today of the committee having charge of the investigation of the charge against the management of the Deaf, Dumb and Blind Institution, Miss Maggie Hogwood was the first Witness examined. Her testimony was very confused. It

eemed to be difficult for her to recall Mr.

Bear as a teacher at the institution, but

when she succeeded in so doing, she denied

that he had been criminally intimate with She said another pupil had been intimate with Bear and wanted her to do the same. but she refused. She described, however certain liberties, which she said Bear had

taken with her, which were reprehensible

BRIBED WITH LIQUOR. John T. Cashion, who is blind, was the next witness. He testified principally to the matter of the use of liquor at the stitution. He named certain monitors whom he said he bribed with liquor. Witness said that Captain Doyle never gave liquor to pupils, but the teachers and em-ployes did at election time and even members of the board did so. He mentioned the name of Mr. Oppendorfer. He said they were given liquor to induce them to vote the ticket supported by the institution. Castion further said he did not want to testify as to what he had heard regarding immorality unless he testified in the presence of those who had told him, to wit Amos Holler, a shoemaker, and Mr. Shreeves, foreman of the mattress shop. He talked to them two years ago when he was at the institution on a visit. While he was a student there, under Captain Doyle, he said that the treatment was tolerably good, considering the number of pupils. Witness said that the students were maltreated some

some being punished too severely. ALL THE TEACHERS DRANK. At the evening session John T. Fraysci was on the stand. Mr. Frayser was a pupil from 1884 to 1888. He testified that all pupils. When questioned, he said that he did not know that the teachers drank to excess. He said that Mr. Humbert frequently neglected his duties. On election day all the voters at the school had liquor and

he did not know whether the candidate gave if to them or not He had seen one or two papils drunk at other times. He did not know whether selection of President Cleveland, be and the professors saw the drunken boys or not and said that so far as he knew, no effort was made to conceal the drunken youths. The candidates would send backs on election days for the voters at the school and they would drive off sober and come back drunk. Witnessdid not know whether Captain Doyle was aware of this drinking

# GEORGIA CONVICT ABUSES.

Gov. Atkinson Begins an Investiga tion of the Charges.

Atlanta, Ga., Feb. 10 .- Governor Atkinn began an investigation today of the are of the State convicts in the penitentiary camps. All the lesces were be fore the governor. They were represented by counsel and the State had counsel to

assist the attorney general; Senator Brown, who was a member of the penitentlary committee, testified that the convicts at Cole City are not properly quartered and the sanitary arrangements of the stockade are insufficient. The lessees ontended that the mes are better fed a this camp than the free labor is. The instigation only got fairly started today and very little evidence of importance was

# SOUTHERN OFFICE REMOVAL.

Roadmaster's Headquarters Will Be Removed from ThisCity to Atlanta. Atlanta, Ga., Feb. 10 -General Roadmas er J. A. Dodson, of the Southern, and Supt Lum, of bridges and trestles, will remove their offices from Washington to Atlanta as soon as the transfers can be made. These changes are made necessary by the character of their work, which remires them to be out on the line nearly all he time. Some say that these changes are he beginning of the return of all the

general offices to Atlanta. Obliged to Pay Tonnage Dues. Gloucester, Mass., Feb. 10.-The owner chooner Mable R. Bennett have been obliged to pay tonuage dues. Under the lirection of the Treasury Department med ong ago fishing vessels were exempted from the payment of tonnage dues. The as essment of dues on the above-named vessels shows that frozen berring vessels are not regarded as fishing vessels, but as merchant marine. The dues were paid under protest.

Death of Sanford Hunt, D. D. lunt, D. D., aged seventy, senior agent of the Methodist Book Concern, died of apo-plexy at the Grand Hotel in this city this afternoon. He was stricken while entering the door leading from the street. He was re oved to his room, where he died in fix-Dr. Hunt has been a member of the Methodist Episcopal church for half a

Eight Per Cent in Mississippi. Jackson, Miss., Feb. 10.-By an over-chelming vote the Mississippi legislature has passed the bill reducing the legal rate of interest from ten to eight per cent. The early a week, and was very spirited. Basket Company Receiver.

Charleston B.C., Feb. 10. - The Charleston

Basket and Vencer Company, the largest

plant of the kind in this country, went into

#### This action is of the stockholders today. taken in order to reorganize the company.

Blaze in Park Place Fire broke out at No. 1125 Park place ribeast hist night. The damage amounted o \$100, covered by insurance. The cause the owner

One Killed and Many Injured in an Ohio Accident

Misplaced Switch the Cause, and a More Serious Catastrophe Was Narrowly Averted.

Zancsville, O., Feb. 10 .- A passenger rain on the Cincinnati and Muskingum Valley railroad, due here at 11:50 a. m., was wrecked near Crooksville, a few minutes after 11 o'clock, this morning,

Thomas L. Fisher, the baggage master, was instantly killed, and eight others in-jured, two of whom will probably die. The injured are Alonzo Shrigley. rineer. Zanesville, injured about the head and chest, will probably die; Capt. John Bell, mail agent. Morrowtown, O., seriously in pared internally, and may die; Joseph Porter, Zanesville, fireman, internally injured; Isaac Jones. Zanesville, coal operator, passenger left leg broken above the ankie; David Len bart. Zanesville, passenger, arm broken and slight internal injuries about the chest; William Atkinson, brakeman, Lancaster, cuts about head, leg and ribs broken; Thomas Davis, fireman, Zanesville, slight injuries; Frank Tanner, passenger, Roseville, bodily

injuries. The accident occurred about half way between Crooksville and Roseville, while the train was running at the rate of twenty five miles an Lour and was caused by misplaced switch, which had been left partially open by a rection hand who had been cleaning away snow and ice from around the switch.

As the engine struck the switch it left the rails, and together with a combination baggage and mail car, rolled down an embankment fifteen feet in height Baggage Master Fisher and Mail Agent Bell were caught under the falling car, the former being instantly killed, while Bell received very serious internal injuries. Engineer Shrigley went down with the falling engine and was badly crushed about the chest. He is in a very critical con-dition. Fireman Porter was thrown from

injuries. The injured passengers were in the smok ing car, which to the track, but did not go over the endankment. Their injuries were caused by being thrown against the

on a special train this afternoon

POPULIST POLICY CHANGED.

Abandonment of Currency Expansion Scheme at Alliance Convention. Columbus, 8, C., Feb. 10,-The State will print tomorrow an interview with J. W. Howden, a prominent Populist and Alliance man of this State, in which Mr. Bowden, who returned to buy from the meeting of the National Farmers' Alliance, in Washington, says that that body eliminated from its platform its famous demand for an agricultural subtreasury system, and als the demand for the expansion of the cur the demand for the expansion of the cur-rency to \$50 per capita of population.

The land plank and the railroad plank were made to read as they did originally. This signifies that the alliance has abunoned the financial features of its platform, which would have stood in the way of its conlescence with other free allver lieved, that she is elements in the coming Presidential came is willing to tell.

## DYNAMITE ON THE TRACK

Attempt Made to Wreck a Train on Columbus, Ohio, Feb. 10.- A special to he Press from Defiance says an attempt

as made today to wreck a train on the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad. A large stick of dynamite was found on he bridge where the road crosses the Auglaize River. It is believed that it was laid on the rails and was jarred off. Railroad

detectives have been put on the case.

Kruger Wants Specifications Pretoria, Feb. 10.-President Kruger has nformed Sir Herculus Robinson, Governor of Cape Colony and British High Co doner in South Africa, says that he is villing to go to England in

he invitation extended to him by the

Rt. Hon. Joseph Chamberlain, the British Colonial Secretary, on condition that the

objects to be discussed by himself and Mr. berlain shall be specified beforeband.

All Favor Arbitration Court. London, Feb. 10.-The Chronicle which as questioned a large number of influential men as to whether they are in favor of the stablishment of a permanent court of arbetween the United States and Great Britain and of a national petition to Parliamen in support of such a court will tomorrow publish a number of favorable replies from ecclesiastics, mayors, provosts and others-

Another Kentucky Shooting Lexington, Ky., Feb. 10.-William S. Brewer, son of the late William S. Brewer well known in social circles, was probably fatally shot last night by the husband of a woman whom Brewer visited. The shoot og was . uccessfully concealed until tonight and the police are unable to discover

who committed the crime. Insurance Company's Receiver. Columbus, O., Feb. 10.-State Insurance Commissioner W. H. Hahn today caused the appointment of a receiver of the North western Mutual Fire Insurance Company of

Oil Lamp Exploded. The explosion of a lamp at 621 K street

Toledo. The receiver is Charles P. Griffin

southeast, last night caused a loss of \$15. An alarm of fire was turned in. The house ed by Mr. Hess, and occupied by George W. Barns. Swallowed Crude Optum Joseph Powell of Twentieth and Latreets

was treated at Emergency Hospital last

night for having swallowed trude opana

while drunk. Says It Is His Mother-in-Law. J. H. Hawks, colored, of No. 355 Marreet thwest, last night claimed to identify one of the unknown cadavers at the more the body of his mother-in-law. The iden-tification was not satisfactory.

> Charged with Larceny William Brown, coloral, was locked up at

overcoat valued at \$3 from John A. New-Officer Auldridge made the arrest. | Sale today at 4:30 p. m.

# Miss Hollingsworth Still Says Pearl Bryan Was a Suicide.

HIS COAT IS IDENTIFIED

Accused Murderers Will Fight Against Being Taken to Kentucky for Trial-Pearl's Rings Were Taken from Her Fingers Probably for Preventing Identification.

Cincinnati, Ohio, Feb. 10. - Today the deectives in the Fort Thomas murder case look the bloody coat found in a catch-basin resterday to the jail and tried it on Walling and Jackson. Jackson said it, was his

He claimed that he put it in a closes January 6 in his room at the boarding-house and that he has not had it in his hands since. He put it on, and the negro, Allen Johnson, said it looked like the coat Jackson had on the night he took Pearl Bryan away in the cab.

The coat was then tried on Walling, but was a misfit. The cap found was shown to Walling, and he said it was his, but that Jackson used to wear it. It was next taken to Jackson, who put it on, and it ad-

Inquiries were made today at all the toilgates and revealed some interesting facts. Two separate witnesses testified to the toward the scene of the murder about 10 o'clock Friday night and back at the same break neck pace, after 2 o'clock Saturday

SEARCH FOR THE HEAD. Searching parties made a thorough search of the sand bar at Dayton today in hopes of finding the missing head. Both prisoners will fight againt being taken to Kentucky for trial, but it is under-stood requisition will be issued by Gov.

ening, going toward Fort The

Bradley within the next few days. Indianapolis. Feb. 10.-Facts that cast a Hollingsworth, who says that Pearl Bryan the cab of the engine and received internal committed suicide, developed here today, and as a result it is being claimed that the girl is attempting to shield Jackson and that she did not see Pearl Eryan at the Union station on January 28, during the time that she stopped over here to board a Cincinnatt train. Miss Hollingsworth claims that she met Pearl about 4 o'clock, that the latter confided the story of her troubles to her, and that she gave her a prescription which would help her out of her condition If Pearl Eryan arrived in Cincinnati be-tween 6 and 7 o'clock, as all the facts indite, she could not have been in Indianape lis at 4 o'clock, and if she was hereand met. Miss Hollingsworth at the latter time, she could not possibly have reached Cincinnati

until after 5 o'clock. Miss Hollingsworth still sticks to her story, however.

BAW WOOD AND PEARL Miss Hollingsworth confessed to the poce this afternoon that she saw Will Wood and Pearl Bryan in this city on the Thurs day afternoon before the murder. says that Miss Bryan told her that Wailing was also here. Wailing and Miss Bryan according to her story speat Thursday night here but she refuses to tell where. Miss Hollingsworth was locked up, as it is be Beved, that she knows far more than she

Freen Castle, Ind., Feb. 10.-It has been discovered that a diamond and an opul ring, worn by Pearl Bryan, when she went to Cincinnati, did not return here with the were taken from the body by the murderes for the same purpose that the head was

severed to destroy the possibility of identi-The corpse will not be buried for several days in the hope that the missing head

will be found. MAKES ANOTHER CONFESSION. Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 10. Another conssion was wrong from Lula May Holling worth late tonight by the police superint ent, in which she says, she, herself, offiited at the criminal operation which Pearl Bryan underwent, and that Miss purpose, accompanied by Walling and refurned to that city by the first train.

Two days later. Miss Hollingsworth re-

two afterwards there was a second letter saying that she had died in his room and that he and a negro took the body to the Kentucky side of the river, where it was beheaded 'with a butcher's cleaver, after which he tossed the head into the river as he crossed the suspension bridge on his return to Cincinnati. Miss Hollingsworth claims that the first etter from Jackson she burned last night when the officers came to arrest her, and

ceived a letter from Jackson, saying that Pearl was very sick and within a day or

as evidence in relief of Jackson and Walling

hat the second has been placed with an at

torney, with instructions not to make public

Fought at the Station. William Smith and John Hall, both coled, became involved in a fight last night on M street, between Sixth and Seventh northwest. Whisky is said to have had something to do with commencing the disturbance. Policemen Hongland and abson caught the men in the act and locked them up at No. 2 station. While the men were being searched at the station Smith struck Hall a terrific blow in the charge of assault.

Arrested for Embezzlement. Joseph Fralick of Georgetown was ar-

and Murphy and lodged at No. 8 station, for the embezalement of \$33 from his armer employers, William S. Corby & Brother, who conduct a bakery at 2327 Seventh street northwest.

Edwards Cannot Live. Francis Cocerii: Edwards, who shot him

elf through the head with suicidal intent, was not deed at 3 o'clock this morning, though no hope is entertained by the attending surgeons that he will live through today.

Auction Sales Today.
Thomas Dowling a Co. 612 Estreetnorthvest.-D. street northwest. No. 227,

four-story brick dwelling, subjet 6, square 50; by order of Frank L. Calboun and John G. Bonton, trustees. Sale today at 4:30 p.m. Thomas Dowling & Co., 612 E street north west. -Estreetnortheast, No. 107, three story

bries dwelling, lot 42, square \$12; by order of J. S. Edwardsund James F. Hood, trustees.